

State Towing Laws

State	Speed Limit	Max. Trailer Length	Max. Width	Max. Height	Max. Combined Length	Trailer Brakes Required @	Safety Chains
Alabama	55	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	60'	3,000 lb.	Y
Alaska	55	40'	8' 6"	14'	65'	5,000 lb.	Y
Arizona	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
Arkansas	65	NA	8' 6"	13.6'	NA	3,000 lb.	Y
California	55	40'	8' 6"	14'	65	1,500 lb.	Y
Colorado	65	57.4'	8' 6"	13'	70	3,000 lb.	Y
Connecticut	55*	48'	8' 6"	13.6'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Delaware	55	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	60	4,000 lb.	Y
Florida	65	NA	8' 6"	13.6'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Georgia	65	53	8' 6"	13.6'	65	2,500 lb.	Y
Hawaii	55	40	9'	14'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Idaho	65	48	8' 6"	14'	75 (13)	1,500 lb.	Y
Illinois	55	42	8' 6"	13.6'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Indiana	65	40	8' 6"	13.6'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Iowa	65	48	8' 6"	13.6'	60	3,000 lb.	Y
Kansas	65	NA	8' 6"	14'	65	NA	Y
Kentucky	65	NA	8' 6"	13.6'	55	NA	Y
Louisiana	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	NA	3,000 lb.	Y
Maine	65	45'	8' 6"	13.6'	65	3,000 lb.	Y
Maryland	55	35'	8' 6"	13.6'	55'	3,000 lb.	Y
Massachusetts	55	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	60	10,000 lb.	Y
Michigan	65 (10)	45'	8' 6"	13.6'	65	3,000 lb.	Y
Minnesota	65	45'	8' 6"	13.6'	65	3,000 lb.	Y

Mississippi	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	NA	2,000 lb.	Y
Missouri	65	NA	8' 6"	14'	65'	NA	Y
Montana	65	45'	8' 6"	14'	75'	3,000 lb.	Y
Nebraska	65	40'	8' 6"	14.6'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
Nevada	65	40'	8' 6"	14'	70'	1,500 lb.	Y
New Hamp.	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	NA	1,500 lb.	Y
New Jersey	55	35'	8'	13.6'	50'	3,000 lb.	Y
New Mexico	65	40'	8' 6"	14'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
New York	55	53'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
N. Carolina	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	60'	1,000 lb.	Y
N. Dakota	65	53'	8' 6"	14'	75'	All	Y
Ohio	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	2,000 lb.	Y
Oklahoma	65	59.6'	8' 6"	13.6'	70'	3,000 lb.	Y
Oregon	65	35'	8' 6"	14'	50'	3,000 lb.	Y
Pennsylvania	55	53'	8'	13.6'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
Rhode Island	55	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	60'	4,000 lb.	Y
S. Carolina	65	53' (13)	8' 6"	13.6'	N/A	3,000 lb.	Y
S. Dakota	65	53'	8' 6"	14'	70'	3,000 lb.	Y
Tennessee	65	50'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	3,000 lb.	Y
Texas	60	NA	8' 6"	14'	65'	4,500 lb.	Y
Utah	65	45'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	2,000 lb.	Y
Vermont	65	48'	8' 6"	13.6'	60'	3,000 lb. (16)	Y
Virginia	55	NA	8'	13.6'	60'	3,000 lb.	Y
Washington	60	40'	8' 6"	14'	75'	3,000 lb.	Y
W. Virginia	65	NA	8' 6"	13.6'	55'	3,000 lb. (17)	NA
Wisconsin	65	40'	8' 6"	13.6'	65'	All	Y

Footnotes

- 1) Maximum length 28'6" each. Must be towed by a truck tractor.
- 2) If original equipment
- 3) Over 80" wide
- 4) Must hold for 15 minutes

- 5) With special requirements
- 6) Over 3,000 lb.
- 7) Over 5,000 lb., must have safety inspection
- 8) Trucks only.
- 9) If over 80" wide.
- 10) 55 mph for vehicles with gross
- 11) Over 6,000 lb.
- 12) Only on vehicles registered in Missouri
- 13) On interstate and federally designated highways
- 14) First trailer requires brakes & chains, second chains unless 3,000+ lb.
- 15) Interstate and designated highways, not to exceed 28'6" each.
- 16) If over 7' high and 7' wide
- 17) Or if trailer exceeds 40% of tow vehicle weight
- 18) On designated highways not to exceed 28' each.
- 19) 65 mph on some routes

No	NA
Yes	Yes (12)
Yes	Yes
Yes	Yes
No	Yes
No	NA
No	No
Yes	Yes
No	NA
Yes (13)	No
Yes (14)	No
Yes	NA
No	NA
No	No
Yes (15)	Yes
No	NA
Yes	No
Yes	Yes
Yes (1)	Yes
No	Yes
Yes	NA
Yes (18)	Yes
No	Yes
No	Yes
No	No
No	No

